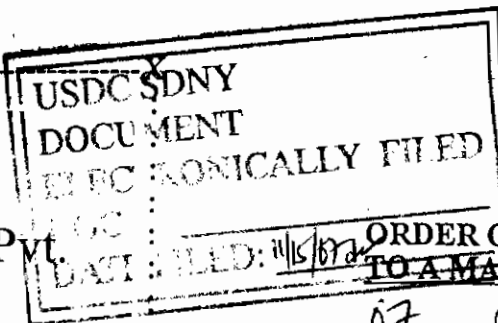


**07 CV 9346 ECF**

Bhatia Shipping & Agencies Pvt.  
V. Alcobex Metals Ltd.



ORDER OF REFERENCE  
TO A MAGISTRATE JUDGE

07 Civ. 9346 (BSJ)(MHD)

The above entitled action is referred to the designated Magistrate Judge for the following purpose(s):

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General Pretrial (includes scheduling, discovery, non-dispositive pretrial motions, and settlement) | <input type="checkbox"/> Consent under 28 U.S.C. §636(c) for all purposes (including trial)                                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Specific Non-Dispositive Motion/Dispute:*  | <input type="checkbox"/> Consent under 28 U.S.C. §636(c) for limited purpose (e.g., dispositive motion, preliminary injunction) |
| _____   | Purpose: _____  |
| _____   |   |
| If referral is for discovery disputes when the District Judge is unavailable, the time period of the referral: _____                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Habeas Corpus  |
|   | <input type="checkbox"/> Social Security  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Settlement*  | <input type="checkbox"/> Dispositive Motion (i.e., motion requiring a Report and Recommendation)                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Inquest After Default/Damages Hearing  | Particular Motion: _____  |
|   | _____   |
|   | All such motions: _____   |

\* Do not check if already referred for general pretrial.

**SO ORDERED.**

DATED: New York, New York

11/13/07

United States District Judge